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1. AGAINST THE BACKDROP REPORTED REFEERENCES, REPORT OF OCTOBER VISIT BY PORTUGUESE OVERSEAS TERRITORIES MINISTER DR. SANTOS, THE FIRST VISIT BY A CABINET MEMBER IN 12 YEARS, HAS KINDLED SPECULATION AMONG SOME MACAU RESIDENTS THAT PORTUGAL MAY PULL OUT OF MACAU. MACAU GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS APPEAR TOTALLY IN DARK CONCERNING PORTUGUESE INTENTIONS.

2. WE WOULD APPRECIATE ANY INFORMATION OR COMMENTS ADDRESSEES COULD PROVIDE ON PORTUGUESE INTENTIONS FOR THE FUTURE OF MACAU AND ON THE RATIONALE BEHIND THE VISIT OF DR. SANTOS.
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